



**RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP 2176
Docket No.: 1075.1124**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

Seishi SUEHIRA

Serial No. 09/447,052

Group Art Unit: 2176

Confirmation No. 3304

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL REJECTION

Commissioner for Patents
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Attention: MAIL STOP AF

Sir:

This is in response to the final Office Action mailed October 3, 2006, and having a period for response set to expire on January 3, 2007. A Petition for a one-month extension of time is filed concurrently herewith, thereby extending the due date to February 3, 2007.

The following remarks are respectfully submitted. Reconsideration of the claims is respectfully requested.

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